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Docket No.

BS99-010

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09/383,145

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2642Invention: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PRESERVING SERVICE NODE RESOURCES AND REDUCING**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**RECEIVED****JUN 04 2003**

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 3, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 50-1390.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1-7, 9-12, 14-26, 28-29, 31-34, and 36-38, and please add new claims 41-45 as shown in the attached sheets. Please cancel claims 8, 13, 35, and 39-40.

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